

719 Metcalf Street Sedro-Woolley, WA 98284

February 2, 2018

Nathan Salseina Operations Division Supervisor City of Sedro-Woolley Public Works 409 Alexander Street Sedro-Woolley, WA 98284

Re: Improvements to the Winnie Houser Park and Playfields - Sedro-Woolley Washington

Dear Nathan,

I am writing this letter in support of the proposed improvements to the Winnie Houser Park and Playfields soccer complex in Sedro-Woolley, Washington.

In 2018, Janicki Industries plans to increase the number of employees to 1,000. We are the largest employer in the area. Our employees and their families would greatly benefit from the improvements made to this playfield and soccer complex. Families are looking for things to do while spending time outdoors together. Keeping kids active and busy is important to their overall health and our community. Having these prime areas available for kids to practice and play their sports adds to what we can offer in our interviewing process with prospective employees. These parks will be a positive selling point for families who are relocating to our area.

Upgrading the Winnie Houser Park and Playfields will make a lasting and positive impact for Sedro-Woolley. We are fully supportive and would like to assist you where we can.

You may contact me at (360) 814-1881 with further details.

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Sincerely,

President

Sedro-Woolley Youth Soccer Association.

Nathan Salseina City of Sedro-Woolley Public Works Department 325 Metcalf St Sedro-Woolley WA 98284

April 10, 2018

RE: Winnie Houser Soccer Fields

Dear Mr. Salseina,

The Sedro-Woolley Youth Soccer Association (SWYSA) want to thank you and the City for your efforts to address the needs at the Winnie Houser fields. We have dedicated money to help to this point and will continue to support the fields and your efforts to make them a true complex for youth to use and enjoy.

We have around 400 kids in the SWYSA and hundreds of other children from surrounding communities that use these fields. We are committed to more monetary help to make this a more user friendly park. We alone can't do it all and appreciate your efforts to acquire some extra funding to make this a success.

The kids and parents really appreciate your help and efforts to make this happen. Please feel free to reach out to myself or any SWYSA board member for assistance as this moves forward.

Thank you for your time and effort in making this park a reality.

Sincerely,

David Mercer

SWYSA Field and Equipment Manager

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